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SAD44

## Few bother with budget hearing

By WENDY HANSCOM

SAD44 School Board members outnumbered the audience at Monday's public hearing on the proposed FY '95 district budget.

Eleven people, eight of them SAD44 employees, turned out for the hearing, and 12 of the board's 17 members were present.

Board members fielded just two questions from the audience and the hearing was over in 15 minutes.

Walter Hatch of Bethel asked if the Telstar High School's accreditation was still at risk.

Superintendent Ronald Jenkins said the main reason the accreditation was at risk was because Telstar does not have a certified librarian. The FY '95 budget adds the position back in, he said.

Norman Foster of Bethel told the board that the district should offer teaching salaries competitive with neighboring communities.

SAD44 teachers' salaries are below, but within a few dollars, of the state average, Jenkins said.

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## Rod Abbott: Safe havens can help kids keep off drugs

By WENDY HANSCOM

Restless teens and what to do with them. It's a dilemma most communities face. School, sports, clubs and other activities don't always fill up their days, and some bored teens turn to drinking and drug use for amusement.

In fact, a recent survey of Telstar High School students showed that a lot of kids drink. In 1992, 26 percent of Telstar's eighth-graders and 32 percent of the seniors reported drinking at home, with their parents knowledge. Twenty-nine percent of the eighth-graders and 37 percent of the seniors said they drink at home without their parents' permission, and the 23 percent of the seniors admitted they drank "while driving around."

"I'm told by the kids that they can go up to town this afternoon and with no trouble whatsoever, within 15 minutes have whatever booze they want," said Rodney Abbott, Telstar's Chemical Health Coordinator. "There are places in town where adults have the attitude 'Let the kids have their parties.' Spring is an especially bad time for this."

The Regional Partnership for substance abuse prevention would like

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REFLECTING ON LIFE IN A FARM POND—A group of Crescent Park School second-graders peer into a farm pond at Judy Coolidge's Northwest Bethel home. Coolidge's mother, Alberta (left), was one of several speakers, who spoke on a variety of environmental issues. CPS teacher Coolidge annually hosts an environmental day for all the school's second graders.

(Photo by Wendy Hanscom)

## Bear preys on local livestock

By WENDY HANSCOM

An Albany family is hunting down a bear that killed two sheep last week.

John and Joan Kimball had two ewes, a lamb, a ram and two pigs in a pasture near their house, but early Wednesday morning as John Kimball let the family dog outside, he saw a bear dragging off one of the ewes.

The Kimballs called game wardens and bear hunters to the scene, Joan Kimball said, but it was too late to pick up the bear's trail.

The sheep's body was left outside overnight and Thursday morning the bear came back, dragged the

carcass off about 40 feet and started to bury it, she said.

Hunters with dogs returned to the Kimball home, chased the bear off and tried it a couple times, but did not kill it, Kimball said. Game wardens had said the bear would probably leave the area if it was chased aggressively, she said, but it didn't work. The bear came back Friday night and killed the Kimballs' ram.

Hunters and their dogs set out to kill the bear Saturday, but lost it in a swamp, Kimball said.

"We've been hunting it day and night with no luck so far," Kimball said.

State wildlife biologist Craig

McLaughlin of Inland Fisheries and Game said it's rare for bears to take livestock.

"We don't get that many reports of bears preying on domestic livestock in the state," McLaughlin said. "Occasionally bears do what this one is doing, but it's not a very widespread problem."

It's still early for bear to be roaming around, McLaughlin said, but he expects a lot of "nuisance" bear reports this spring.

"Especially in the northern part of the state the beechnut crop wasn't very good," he said. "The nuts are a large part of the bears' diet and due to the poor crop they went into their dens early. They'll be weakened when they come out, thinner than usual, and there won't be any beechnuts left over for them."

Bears usually avoid populated areas, McLaughlin said, but are sometimes attracted to trash, pet food and backyard bird feeders.

Marauding bears have also been reported in New Hampshire.

Police officials in Campton, N.H. handled three bear complaints over

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LANDMARK UNHARMED—A midday fire Sunday destroyed a machinery repair garage and grain shed and silo at the Carter Farm on Middle Intervale Road, but the historic Middle Intervale Meeting House (left in photo), located only a few feet from the barn buildings, was untouched. Firefighters from Bethel, Greenwood and Newry fought the blaze, which took about an hour to extinguish. The garage and barn had been rebuilt only three years ago, after the original buildings were destroyed by a fire in 1989. The nearby meeting house, built in 1816, was never threatened, according to David Brown, assistant Bethel Fire Chief. But Brown noted that some small trees between the barn and the meeting house had begun to burn, and if the wind Sunday had been as strong as it had been for the two previous days, he said, the meeting house could have been very much at risk.

The 25th Annual  
Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce  
AWARDS BANQUET

Saturday, May 21, 1994  
at the Summit Hotel, Sunday River

Kevin Mannix • Ross Swain • Art exhibit by Explorations Art Program  
Silent Auction • ALL ARE WELCOME!

Full Buffet Dinner: \$22 per person, 7:00 p.m.  
Social Hour w/for d'oeuvres & cash bar: 6:00 p.m.

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United Methodist Church, Bethel

Saturday, May 21st • 5 PM  
To Benefit Telstar Middle School  
Dishes of the Month  
Adults: \$5 Children: \$2.50

East Bethel Cemetery  
Clean-up  
May 21  
Rain day, May 22

Middle Intervale Cemetery  
Clean-up Day  
Saturday, May 21st  
Rain Date  
Sunday, May 22nd at 7 AM

NOTICE  
To Preb's Pharmacy  
Prescription Customers  
NEW Saturday Hours 9 am to 5 pm  
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Breaus II  
beautiful downtown  
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Free bag of ice  
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purchased!

## Bethel Station

### Planners want expert help

By WENDY HANSCOM

Bethel planners will rely heavily on the advise of various "experts" on several engineering aspects of the Bethel Station project.

Board members said last week, that matters such as water supply, flood plain management, storm water drainage plans, road construction and sewer disposal are best left to people with more experience than the average Planning Board member.

"We should look at what we always look at," said planner Dennis Doyen, "that's the building, the parking and how it relates to the site plan and leave the rest of it to the folks who are getting paid to do the job."

The Bethel Planning Board will hold a special meeting tonight (Wednesday) to consider the Bethel Station project's site plan application.

Different parts of the project need approval from the Maine Department of Environmental Engineers, the Army Corp of Engineers, Bethel's Fire Department and town road commissioner Madeleine Henley.

The Bethel Water District must also notify the board whether or not it can supply water to the development. Developers must also show that the town's sewer system can handle the project's sewerage.

Board chairman Frank Vogt said the board will probably take a "piecemeal" approach to approving individual buildings within the project (see box).

Developer Heinie Merrill gave the board a list of buildings and roads he would like the board to look at first. That list included the hotel, train station, movie theater and two

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### Phase-by-phase sewer fee is OK but not building-by-building

By MICHAEL DANIELS

The Bethel Board of Selectmen is willing to phase in the Sewer System Development Charge for the Bethel Station project, but the board is not willing to collect the fee on a building-by-building basis.

Town Manager Madeleine Henley asked the selectmen Monday to clarify their position, in order to avoid any misunderstanding with developer Heinie Merrill.

"I don't want him to pretend this is any big surprise," Henley told the board.

The fee will be a hefty one -- in excess of half a million dollars by the time the project is fully built out. The fees for the buildings the developers plan to put up this year are estimated at \$175,000.

As it is currently envisioned, the project will be built out in three phases, with the first -- and largest -- phase to be started this summer.

Merrill had raised the SSDC question with the selectmen in earlier discussions, and the board members said Monday they had expressed a willingness to be "flexible" about calculating and collecting the fee. But they also said their recollections of the earlier discussions did not include saying they would be willing to collect the sewer hook-up fee on a building-by-building basis.

They were, however, prepared to collect the fee as each phase is undertaken. "If he sends in an application for phase one, he should pay whatever it requires," said board chairman Arthur Gilbert.

Much of the project's SSDC is slated to be used for upgrades at the sewerage treatment plant -- upgrades that will be necessitated in large part by the increased water flow from the project.

The selectmen also expressed concern that the town not be put in a negative cash-flow position as those upgrades are undertaken.

## Bethel selectman hopefuls to face voters' questions

By MICHAEL DANIELS

A candidates' forum prior to next month's Bethel election will provide voters with an opportunity to find out where the four candidates for selectman stand on issues facing the town.

The forum was proposed by Bethel businessman Bob Laux and is being sponsored by the Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce.

(In a letter to the editor this week,

on page 2, Laux explains his reasons for calling for a forum.)

Details and format are still being worked out, Laux said, but a tentative date of June 1 has been set.

Four candidates are seeking to fill the seat of retiring selectman Norman Putnam: Harry J. Faulkner, Jane Rolfe Lowe, Larry G. Smith and Richard H. Whitney.

All four have agreed to take part in the event, Laux said.

## Top 10 Bethel taxpayers

By MICHAEL DANIELS

Eighty-two percent of Bethel taxes had been paid by the deadline Monday, according to tax collector Merton Brown.

The payment rate is consistent with other recent years, Brown said, and half of the still-outstanding taxes are expected to be paid by June 30 -- the last day to pay your taxes and not have your name listed as a tax delinquent in next year's annual town report.

The town's largest taxpayers (based on 1993 payments) are as follows: 1--P.H. Chadbourne and Co. (\$63,098), 2--Bethel Commodore Corp. (\$50,311), 3--Bethel Furniture Stock (\$27,031), 4--Gould Academy (\$24,559), 5--CMP (\$23,293), 6--Newton and Tebbels (\$22,262), 7--Bethel Park Apartments (\$16,347), 8--Joan Moorhead (\$14,350), 9--L.E. Davis (\$13,935), and 10--Bethel Housing Association (\$13,898).

### ★ PLEASE TAKE NOTICE ★

Due to construction and renovations, the Bethel Citizen's Office Supply Store will be closing at 3 pm on Wednesday, May 18th.

We will re-open for purchases on

Monday, May 23rd at 8 am

WE WILL BE ABLE TO PHOTOCOPY, FAX, RECEIVE ADVERTISEMENTS & NEWS RELEASES FOR YOU DURING THIS TIME.

Thanks for your consideration during this time!

## EARLY DEADLINES

For Memorial Day Holiday

ALL DISPLAY & CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING & NEWS ITEMS ARE DUE AT THE CITIZEN

FRIDAY, May 27, NOON

for the June 1st issue.

The Bethel Citizen office will be closed on Monday, May 30th in observance of Memorial Day.

## Letters

## BETHEL CANDIDATES FORUM

## To the Editor:

The upcoming election for selectperson in Bethel is probably one of the most important in recent years. Bethel is facing some interesting questions that will affect the "quality of life" as we know and appreciate it today. The expansion of Bethel Station, the development of the Route 2/5/26 corridor, the utilization (or lack thereof) of the airport industrial park, the continuing issues involving sewer expansion/utilization, the enhancement of Main Street shops and the need for additional economic development of the area, represent just a few of the critical decisions facing the town.

I, as well as many other Bethel voters, am most respectful of all four candidates for office. Each of them bring strong characteristics and accomplishments in a number of areas. But where do they each stand on any of these critical issues? Do they support Bethel Station? Are they pro expansion of future economic development? What do they think about the limited employment opportunities presented to local kids who seek jobs elsewhere and leave the area, most often permanently? Although I know each candidate personally, do I really "know" how they stand on these and many other critical issues? My guess is no, an opinion I believe is shared by many other voters come June 14.

I just returned from the Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors' meeting. I requested their endorsement and sponsoring of a "Candidates' Forum" on issues to be held approximately one week before the election. Without exception this board endorsed the forum and came up with some excellent suggestions for structure, format and solicitation of questions from the public prior to the forum.

We have tentatively scheduled the Candidates' Forum for Wednesday, June 1, from 7 to 9 p.m. to be held in the auditorium at Telstar High School. A Forum Panel, with representatives from local businesses, the chamber and the Bethel Citizen, will ask each candidate a series of pre-formatted questions on issues affecting voter concerns in the upcoming election. Citizens in attendance will be allowed to submit questions for consideration by the panelists. Each candidate will be allowed an opportunity to respond.

In order for the forum to work, we need input from the public. If you have a question you believe should be asked publicly of each candidate running for selectperson, please write or call the Chamber of Commerce (824-2282) or me at Creative Management (824-4044). We will be happy to compile and organize questions for the forum.

The Candidates' Forum represents a great opportunity for each of us to become more educated about where candidates for selectperson stand on the critical issues facing Bethel. I truly hope the citizens will participate in this ultimate democratic process.

Bob Laux  
Bethel

## NEWRY SHOULD LEAD

## To the Editor:

As Newry Selectmen, it shouldn't be a big surprise that Steve Wight and I agree on most town strategies and decisions. His letter of last week while not an exception to this record of sound reasoning did reach an unsound conclusion in my opinion. I believe Newry should pull out of the district.

The levels of human maturity do not stop at three. In our country we reached the fourth with a system set up by the founding fathers to encourage people to act in their own best interests in pursuing life, liberty and happiness. They knew that this individual freedom with its built in responsibilities had the remarkable effect of benefiting the population in general. This way of living, more than any other reason, created America the envy of the world.

Recent history shows that altruistic actions forced on its people by socially progressive governments (East Germany, Russia, Cuba, etc.) do not work. Why then do we allow the State of Maine to continue along the same path? Growing state control of the educational process, the SADs of Maine, are an example of the steady loss of individual (town) freedom. It's not surprising that as this freedom with its inherent responsibilities is taken from the towns the quality of education declines. While I disagree with some of his numbers Mike Daniels was right when he said that "in the field of public education, bigger is seldom better." When you combine bigger with the world government you almost guarantee mediocrity.

The time is now to make a radical change to the status quo. The long term benefits to all the towns in the district are profound. Newry is able to break out of a system that has been in steady decline for a long time. The loss of a quality music program, the relegation of art to an after school activity, the severe restrictions in the sports field and increased cost to students in the hot lunch area are examples of this decline.

It's important to know that its the SAD system not the people within the system that caused this. It happened in spite of everyone's best efforts.

Keeping the young ones, K thru 8, close to home (town schools) will not only be good for them, it will be good for the state and country in general. Newry has the resources to run a model town school using 1994 technology which could be open to the other neighboring towns as an additional educational option. Leading the way is the best way for us to work together.

Jim Sysko  
Selectman, Newry

## STILL TIME TO BUY YOUR BRICKS

## To the Editor:

Spring is here and we are looking forward to having the brick sidewalk on the Bethel Common ready for Mollyockett Day, July 16. Many thanks to those who have already donated to the project. We are three-quarters of the way to our goal.

Anyone who has been waiting to buy their bricks, now is the time so that we can complete this project on schedule. Remember, bricks are \$2 each and may be purchased in honor or in memory of a loved one.

All contributions are tax deductible as allowable by law. Checks should be made out to "Bricks/Town of Bethel" and mailed to: Bricks/Town of Bethel, P.O. Box 936, Bethel, ME 04217-0936.

Again, we deeply appreciate your support.

Sally Penley, Wendy Penley, Becky Kendall  
Bricks for the Bethel Common Committee

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**POPPY SEASON**—Six-year-old Carolyn Strickland of Bethel presents Bethel Town Manager Madeleine Henley with the first poppy in the American Legion and Auxiliary's annual fundraiser. Benefits for the sale of poppies made by disabled veterans goes to help provide medical services and support to veterans and their families. Carolyn is the daughter of Brian Strickland and Jane Stubbs of Mundt-Allen American Legion Post 81.

(Photo by Wendy Hanscom)

SHOW UP AND VOTE ON  
SCHOOL BUDGET NEXT WEEK

## To the Editor:

In order to understand what the school budget will do to taxes in SAD44, I have the calculated figures for the member towns as follows:

Town	SAD 44 increase over last year	Mill rate increase	% increase in your taxes
Andover	\$77,701.00	12 m. to 13.52	12.6%
Bethel	\$127,924.00	14.75 m. to 15.75	9.48%
Greenwood	\$62,628.00	10.2 m. to 11.24	10.19%
Newry	\$120,342.00	13.8 m. to 14.94	10.82%
Woodstock	\$59,269.00	17.9 m. to 18.96	10.59%

The school board was not unanimous in approving this budget. Initially some \$300,000 was cut -- this was then reinstated.

We must think long and hard on the costs to our area for education. We must ask ourselves if money is the total answer to good education.

Most of our area households have not had the advantage of raises at work that match the rise of insurance and taxes. Nor have most households had raises that have been enjoyed by the staff of our school district. All of our towns have been put in the position of holding the line on needed expenditures in order to fund the schools. Our selectmen always have the total picture in mind of what we can afford.

For your information there are three articles that could be amended to decrease our costs for the school budget. They are:

Article VII: additional local.  
Article VIII: total assessment.  
Article IX: adult education.

Any amounts cut from the additional local, article seven, must be cut in article eight.

A secret ballot may be moved and seconded. Only 10 percent of the voters attending need to approve to have this carry.

I urge each of us to call 10 people and urge them to attend the budget meeting on Wednesday, May 25.

Pat Doolan  
Bethel

## KEEP OUR DREAMS ALIVE

## To the Editor:

Graduation for 1994 is only a few weeks away. It is so important at this time that we encourage all people to celebrate this occasion in a responsible manner. Students graduating are under the age of 21, and we as the Project Graduation Committee, do all we can to encourage chemical-free celebrations.

We have been working all year doing fundraisers and planning for this upcoming event. At the present time businesses, churches, etc., will be having someone drop off a sheet asking for donations to help us to continue these activities. We hope you will be able to donate -- any amount will help us greatly.

Graduation week we will be providing refreshments after the Awards Ceremony; we will have an ice cream smorgasbord, a barbecue, refreshments after graduation, an all-night celebration at the Royalty Club in Gorham, N.H., and breakfast at the Locke Mills Legion Hall. This year we are asking that the seniors and their guests be picked up at the Legion Hall, and we are encouraging anyone -- relatives, friends -- to join us at that time for breakfast. Breakfast will be at 5 a.m.! The Legion does a wonderful job and what a great way to end for the seniors as they continue on in their own directions in life.

You may be called to donate refreshments. Please support us in any way you can. Help us to "Keep Our Dreams Alive."

Project Graduation committee meetings are on the third Tuesday of each month at Telstar High School, 6 to 8 p.m. We have one extra meeting in May, on May 26, to finalize all plans. We appreciate your support.

Lillian Conant  
Bethel

## Public Broadcasting replies to columnist's criticism

I am writing to correct several glaring errors in Mike Brown's recent (Citizen, April 6) assault on Maine Public Broadcasting.

The first issue is his misunderstanding of Maine's Freedom of Access Law. He claims the law hasn't changed since the winter of 1992. Yes, it has! In 1992 the Legislature added a special paragraph to the law devoted solely to Maine Public Broadcasting Corporation. We are a private, non-profit organization -- the only one that is affected by that law. Because we are not a government agency, it applies to us in a more limited way.

Second, Mr. Brown claims Maine Public Broadcasting Corporation wouldn't give him financial information. He says he used "labyrinthine and time-consuming ways to ferret out financial information through IRS public documents..." Come on! I also sent him a copy of our IRS Form 990. We are extremely forthcoming. The only information we don't release is the individual salaries of every producer, accountant, receptionist and clerk. Neither do other non-profits such as private colleges, museums, public

health or cultural organizations. I did offer him the opportunity to get national public TV and radio station average salaries from the Corporation for Public Broadcasting; I told him that a 1992 salary comparison between MPBC and these national averages showed that our salaries were substantially lower. But that, of course, didn't get mentioned in his column.

Finally, the salary information he cited for the top seven salaried positions included an average of \$3,055 in benefits per person, which should have been treated separately, not combined with salaries. As for the average annual salary he gave for all our employees, I cannot understand how he arrived at his figure. The real average salary is \$25,083. This is not high; it is so low that we are in danger of losing some of our best people. If Mr. Brown had asked for such comparisons, we would have readily complied.

Robert H. Gardiner  
President  
Maine Public Broadcasting

THIS WEEK AT THE  
Moses Mason  
House

At the May monthly meeting of the Bethel Historical Society, Sally Taylor, chair of the society's Preservation Committee, announced that the 1994 Bethel Historical Society Preservation Award was being made to Susan Foster Hamill of Richmond, Va. for her and her family's role in preserving the Foster homestead at Sunday River. The announcement of this award coincides with National Historic Preservation Week. It is expected that the award will be formally presented in July at the society's Annual Picnic, which will be held at Artist's Bridge.

The 15th Annual Faye Taylor Memorial Art Show will be held on Saturday, May 28 at the Dr. Moses Mason House, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. This year's theme is "Railroading in the Good Old Days" and works of art with scenes of steam engines, railway cars, passengers, hobo, stations and other buildings, water towers, cabooses, and meeting the train with carriages and wagons are being encouraged from students in SAD #44, grades one through six. Prizes will be given in three categories as usual. This year's guidelines have been distributed to teachers in SAD44 and all submissions should be at the Dr. Moses Mason House by Friday, May 27, at 3 p.m. Anyone with questions about the contest should call the society office at 824-2908.

## LOOKING BACK

John Brown has pointed out in last week's column that Dr. Kneeland did not move to the house on Main Street, now owned by Don and Eleanor Brooks, initially, but to the house currently occupied by Maine Line Products and Rick and Ellen Whitney. After World War II, he set up practice in the former Wallace Warren house (owned by Don and Eleanor Brooks), where he remained for about 15 years.

10 years ago: The SAD44 Board of Directors approved the concept of a self-supporting summer school at Telstar Regional High School. The board of selectmen approved a proposed budget for 1984-85 of \$494,846.61, which represented a five percent increase over the previous year. David Murphy was hired as principal of Andover and Woodstock Elementary schools. Brandi Brooks was selected to represent Mundt-Allen Post #81 as 1984 Miss Poppy. Births: Rebecca Swan, Nolan Patten, Joshua Putnam, Jay Hanscom. Marriage: Elinor Andrews and Joseph Beauchesne. Death: I. Elizabeth Cutting.

20 years ago: Edith Eppner announced plans to retire at the end of the school year. Stanley R. Howe was appointed curator for the newly restored Dr. Moses Mason House on Broad Street. The Town of Bethel was officially notified that the town dump must cease operations prior to July 1, 1975. Death: Oscar Twitchell.

30 years ago: Floyd O. Matthews was elected superintendent of School Union 22 (Bethel, West Paris, Greenwood, Newry, Gilead, Upton). The Van Telephone Company purchased the Elm Street property of Jane Van Den Kerckhoven (the former telephone central office building, later moved to Greenwood). Carroll Valentine was presented the coveted Beaver Award for the Bethel Boy Scout Troop at the Pine Tree Council Fellowship Banquet in Augusta. Marriage: Muriel Gleason and Irwin Brown. Deaths: Mrs. G. Bertrand Whitman, Dianne Bryant, William Mills.

40 years ago: Philip Chadbourne was named a director of the Maine Hereford Breeders Association. At a special town meeting held in Odeon Hall granted permission for a memorial plaque to be placed on the Common by the Eastern Seaboard Apprenticeship Conference. After a length discussion, the town meeting approved the closing of a section of High Street from Church Street to Elm Street. Birth: Kathryn Severance. Death: Walter Keniston, Harry Purington, Nettie Fleet, Mary Patterson.

50 years ago: Elaine Warren arrived in Fort Oglethorpe, Ga. for basic training in the Women's Army Corps. Lt. Howard Thurston, a member of the Marauder group stationed in Sardinia, was promoted to First Lieutenant. Three Cross brothers, Alton, Stuart, and Louis (Norton) were all stationed in the United Kingdom. Marriages: Helen Barnes and Rodney Waterhouse; Barbara Lyon and Harry Kuzyk. Items in *Looking Back* are compiled by the Bethel Historical Society from back issues of *The Bethel Citizen*.

## NEWS TIPS

To reach a reporter with a news tip or story request, or to comment on news coverage call Michael Daniels or Wendy Hanscom at 824-2444.

Wednesday, May 18, 1994

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## Bethel Bancorp to buy four Key Banks

**PORTLAND**—Key Bank of Maine has agreed to sell four of its 92 branches to affiliates of Bethel Bancorp. Key Bank plans to sell its Lisbon Falls and Richmond branches to Brunswick Federal Savings and its Buckfield and Mechanic Falls banks to Bethel Savings Bank. Sales terms were not disclosed. Key Bank officials say they have no immediate plans to sell any more branch offices.

### Bus-train crash demo Thursday

**GORHAM**, N.H.—A school bus/train crash will be simulated Thursday on Route 2 in Gorham, N.H. near the golf course crossing. The crash demonstration will begin at 7 a.m. Two Saint Lawrence and Atlantic Railroad locomotives weighing 150 tons each will collide with an unoccupied, crash-ready bus, which will be obstructing the railroad crossing. The locomotives will be traveling east at approximately 10 miles per hour and will collide with the standing school bus. The bus will be cabled to two wreckers so when the locomotives hit the bus, it will be pushed to the side of the tracks and flip over. Several local emergency agencies will use the crash as a training exercise. The demonstration is being held on National Operation Lifesaver Awareness Day, which is part of the fifth annual National Transportation Week.

### Town ready to close dump

**ANDOVER**—Selectmen were scheduled to meet with Andover's dump committee Tuesday night to discuss closing the town's landfill. The town was granted a temporary license to operate the landfill as a transfer station, and must now close down the dump.

The Town Office will be closed May 19 while selectmen and staff attend workshops. There will be a meeting between selectmen and local victuallers for relicensing on May 24 at 6:30 p.m. during the regular meeting of the selectmen.

### Rabies shots for 12 Mass. students

**WEST ROXBURY, MASS.**—Twelve second- and third-graders at the Orenberger Elementary School in West Roxbury, Mass. must undergo rabies treatments after being bitten by a bat students picked up on the school's playground.

On April 15, the students found the bat and took it to a teacher. The teacher refused to let the bat be killed for rabies testing. The 12 students and the teacher who released the bat are taking rabies treatment shots.

### GTE sale to OT&T approved by PUC

**OXFORD**—The Public Utilities Commission has approved Oxford Tel & Tel's plan to buy parts of GTE's telephone service. On June 30, Oxford T&T of Buckfield will take over phone service in North Norway, Hebron, Bethel, Locke Mills, Andover, Upton, Newry, Roxbury Pond, West Bethel and Gilford. Part of the PUC's 14-page approval stipulates a rate freeze for the next few years.

Local customers should see little change in service, according to company officials. Oxford T&T is the parent company of Oxford West and Bryant Pond Telephone Company.

### Annual parade will march on

**ANDOVER**—Town officials have decided to go ahead with Andover's annual Memorial Day parade, whether a band is found or not. Fire Chief Ken Dixon said earlier this spring that holding a parade without a band would be difficult. In past years, local officials had Telstar High School's band, but the school no longer has a marching or concert band.

Local American Legion officials have lined up Leavitt High School's marching band for the Bethel, Greenwood and Woodstock Memorial Day parades.

### Firefighters clean up manure spill

**RUMFORD**—An Andover man spilled a load of cow manure on Route 108 last week when his pickup truck went over a bump and lost its tailgate. Firefighters were called out to wash about five cubic yards of the slippery manure off the road. It took about an hour and 3,000 gallons of water to rinse off 700 feet of road. "It just goes to show you that we have to be prepared to do just about anything," said Rumford Fire Chief Arthur Boivin.

### Selectman up for MMA committee

**WEST PARIS**—Selectman James Marshall has been nominated for election to the Legislative Policy Committee of the Maine Municipal Association. Marshall is serving his second three-year term as selectman. The town's other two selectmen, Howard Gurney and Wade Rainey, last week voted to nominate Marshall for the committee. Nominations closed May 25 with elections at an unspecified date.

### Conservation school given canoes

**WOODSTOCK**—The Norway-Paris and Fryeburg fish and game associations has given the Maine Conservation School in Bryant Pond two canoes, four paddles and four life vests. The Norway-Paris Fish and Game Association purchased and donated the canoes and the Fryeburg club pitched in the paddles and life vests.

### Town Warrant signed

**BETHEL**—The Bethel Board Selectmen has given final approval to the warrant for the upcoming Town Meeting. The selectmen are recommending a town budget of \$1,286,188, up roughly 10 percent from the budget for the previous year. The warrant approved Monday includes two expenditures recommended against by the town Budget Committee: a new dump truck for the Public Works Department (\$60,000) and flowers and shrubs for the village (\$500). The final decision will be up to voters at the June 15 meeting.

### Cleanup days, cable talks

**NEWRY**—Selectmen have scheduled the town's annual cleanup days for June 10, 11 and 12, but this year there's a twist. Instead of leaving white and brown goods, furniture, mattresses, tires and non-recyclable glass beside the road for pickup, homeowners will be asked to transport their trash to Sunday River Ski Resort. The waste will be piled at parking lot five. The hours are June 10, 4 to 8 p.m.; June 11, 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. and June 12, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The town is also going to see if United Video Cablevision will install cable lines throughout the rest of the town if the town is willing to pay for part of the installation. The town's cable franchise fees could be used to fund the installation, said selectman Steve Wight, which would require a town vote.

### From the Bethel Police log:

#### Ballplayer find items under a hedge

A Chapman Street resident chasing a baseball Sunday, found several items stashed under a hedge near the Masonic Lodge. Those items included a golf club, overcoat, camera, binoculars, small flashlight, compact disc case with several CDs, some clothes and more.

On May 13, police responded to a report of a woman slumped over her steering wheel. When police arrived the woman was walking around the vehicle. Police could smell alcohol on the woman's breath, according to the report, but did not think she was ill. She was transported to Rumford Community Hospital.

Later in the day, police charged two West Paris juveniles with possession of a usable amount of marijuana and illegal transportation.

May 15, a Paradise Road resident reported tree limbs on nearby power lines. Police responded, but found no fire. Central Maine Power was notified.

Also on Sunday, Tri-County Mental Health called police with a report of what they considered a serious suicide threat. Police checked out the call and determined there was not enough reason for involuntary commitment of the individual.

## Briefly

### Planners

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roads — Parkway, which connects Route 26 to Route 2, and Lincoln Street, off Parkway to the hotel and Cross Street.

The board took a preliminary look at plans last week for the six-story hotel/condominium complex, and will possibly discuss hotel plans at tonight's meeting.

The hotel's height is currently proposed at 75 feet. A cupola would bring the building height up to about 95 feet in one section, Merrill said.

The board has until June 4 to decide whether or not to waive the town's 35-foot height ordinance for the hotel. Planners at another recent board meeting seemed to be in favor of the waiver.

Planners also discussed how to best review the Bethel Station project. The board talked about starting

their regular bimonthly meetings a half hour early, holding extra meetings, or setting aside 45 minutes at the beginning of each meeting to meet with Merrill. No final decision on the approval process was reached.

#### Other business

Two Bethel buildings are slated to be torn down to make room for two new businesses, one on the Mayville Road and the second at the bottom of Main Street.

The board last week reviewed Dr. Joseph DeMarco's plan to raze the large apartment building on the corner of Main and Railroad streets and to replace it with an office building.

DeMarco said he plans to run his chiropractic practice on the first floor and live on the second floor of

the new 67-by-32-foot building.

Board member Stan Howe said he thought two windows planned for the new building were too large. They did not fit in with the design of neighboring buildings, Howe said. No agreement on whether or not the size of the windows should be decreased was reached by the board.

The board accepted DeMarco's application as complete, but asked him to provide a final stormwater drainage plan, and to obtain a sewer permit from selectmen.

The board also reviewed the application of Rick Savage of Bethel and Robert Martin of North Kingstown, R.I. for a gas station and convenience store on the Mayville Road.

The proposed J & R Country Store would be located across

Route 26 from Twitchell Brook Home Brew Supply. A two-story blue house owned by Ronald and Debbie Mills is on the lot now.

The 120-by-40-foot building would house a convenience store and deli, with retail space for another business.

Planners did not accept the application as complete and asked the developers to return with a septic system design, and landscaping and lighting plans.

Board members said a public hearing will probably be held on the project.

Wednesday, the board also gave Nina Wheeler and Sandra Pond approval to place a 14-by-80-foot modular home near Wheeler's Barker Road home.

The building will house the pair's day care center.

### Haven

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to provide teens with a more positive way to spend their free time.

On May 26, at 7 p.m. at the Bethel American Legion Hall, the partnership will hold a public meeting to explain the Safe Hangouts Program.

The partnership will ask parents and community members to make public a commitment to make their homes a "no-use" space for under-age youths.

Homeowners would guarantee that there would be no drinking, drug use or cigarette smoking in their homes and agree not to leave teen visitors unsupervised. A list of safe hangouts would also be published.

If homeowners were willing to go a step further and plan recreational events with young people, the partnership would provide a training workshop for interested adults.

"A lot of kids seem to think that the townspeople see them as being in the way — that they're not part of the community," Abbott said. "They tell me that if they sit on sidewalk, they're told to move along. I can see if they're making noise or being troublesome. But if a 16-year-old kid can't sit on the curb and watch the world go by to me that's kind of bothersome. If this idea of setting up safe hangouts works, you'll have adults and teenagers sitting down and talking about what needs to be done. I couldn't think of anything better."

Abbott polled a few of the high school students in his Peer Helpers group at Telstar about the idea, and

their reactions were mainly supportive.

"I believe the parents should make the commitment of having a "safe hangout" in their homes," said senior Sean Gilson, "so the kids can have some fun without getting hampered."

Junior Tim Remington agreed. "Great idea," Remington said, "it's time to get a place like this where teenagers can go and hang out."

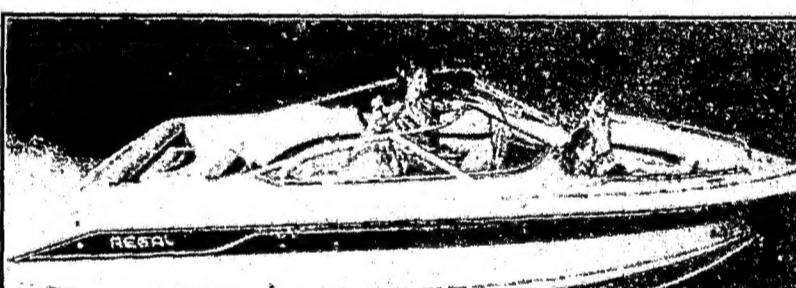
An unidentified sophomore girl added, "I think we need a place to be teenagers and still have fun."

But one junior girl said she wasn't sure how effective the safe hangouts would be. "Safe hangouts are a good idea," the girl said, "but you've got to realize a lot of kids won't use it."

Abbott agreed there are no instant solutions to teen substance abuse.

"I don't think there is any magic cure," Abbott said, "but I do think we can make an impact. I know the situation won't get better if we do nothing. We're hoping any interested teenager or adult representative from local service, civic and fraternal organizations will attend the informational meeting. If they'll just send one person, so they can go back and let their people know what's going on it will get the message out quicker."

Anyone who wants more information about the upcoming meeting or the Safe Hangouts Program can leave a message for Abbott at 824-2136 or Regional Partnership prevention coordinator Kathie Cole at 1-800-649-2306.



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## School sports

### Baseball

#### Telstar 7, Lisbon 20

Telstar's baseball team is 3 1/2 games out of first place in the Mountain Valley Conference, after two MVC wins and one loss last week.

The Rebels are fifth behind first-place Leavitt, then Mt. Valley, Winthrop and Lisbon.

Telstar lost Saturday, 7-20, to Lisbon in a game played at Gould Academy.

Tim Remington was 1 for 4 at bat, with a bases-loaded triple. Clint Myers went two for four, including a double. Wade Luxton was one for two with a double and an RBI. Adam Newell went two for three and Sean Gilson and Cory Koch each had singles.

Rebel mid-season stats are as follows:

Hitting -- Myers, .471; Gilson, .391; Chris Howe, .278 and Remington, .278.

Hits -- Gilson, 9; Myers, 8 and Newell, 6.

Runs -- Myers, 7 and Gilson, 6. RBIs -- Gilson, 7; Howe, 5 and Newell, 5.

Slugging average -- Myers, .588; Luxton, .533 and Gilson, .478.

Pitching ERA -- Remington, 2.28 and Gilson, 2.80.

The team batting average stands at .273, fielding at .902 and earned run average at 4.06.

#### Telstar 16, Carrabec 12

Telstar overwhelmed Carrabec Friday, with a 16-4 win over the Cobras.

Winning pitcher Sean Gilson went six innings, allowing three hits, four runs, two earned runs and three walks. He had five strikeouts and his record is now 2-1. Gilson also led the offense going four for five with five RBIs and four runs scored.

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#### Telstar 6, Dirigo 3

Tim Remington took the win and Sean Gilson the save in Telstar's May 9 match up with Dirigo.

Remington pitched 6 2/3 innings, allowing five hits and one walk, while striking out 10. Remington allowed one earned run, lowering his ERA to 2.27 for the season. Gilson finished the game on the mound for his first save.

Offensively, the Rebels were led by Clint Myers and Adam Newell, who each chipped in two singles, and by Ken Mason, who had a triple and a sacrifice fly for two RBIs. The only other extra-base hit was a double by Bill Chase in the sixth in-

ning. Gilson and Josh Adams each had singles.

Defensively, Chase made the play of the game, according to coach Bob Remington, a diving catch of a sinking blooper in right field.

### Softball

#### Telstar 30, Carrabec 12

The Telstar softball team got its first win of the season Friday, beating Carrabec 30-12. Telstar's Beth Howe had an RBI single and a two-run double. Shye Buck had two hits and scored four runs for Rebels, who are 1-7 for the season. M.J. Learned had three hits and three RBIs. Winning pitcher Angie Lovejoy contributed a pair of hits.

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### GOULD'S HUTCHINS EARN ALPINE CERTIFICATION

Gould faculty member and alpine coach John Hutchins received his Level II Alpine certification after a week-long United States Ski Coaches Association Level II School held at Mammoth Mountain, Calif., May 2-8. The former Colby College Ski Team captain will join Gould alpine program director Tim LaVelle and coaches Uel Gardner and Kurt Simard at the Gould Academy Summer Glacier Camp in Tignes, France, June 23-July 11.

### GIRLS' LACROSSE TOURNAMENT AT GOULD

Gould Academy will host the Maine Independent School girls' lacrosse tournament beginning on Friday, May 20 at 4 p.m. Finals will take place Saturday, the 21st, at 1 p.m. All games will take place on the Anderson and Bowhay fields. With several games still remaining before Friday's semifinal lineup will be determined, the teams most likely to participate are Waynflete (7-0), Gould (7-1), Hyde (6-1), and Yarmouth (6-1).

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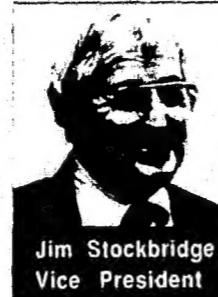
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Bailey, a sophomore from Andover, was playing in her first full season for the Huskies. As a freshman in 1993 she appeared in three games before a severe knee injury ended her season.

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## Locke Mills

By LORRAINE MILLS

Crystal asked me if I would consider taking this column back, as she can't seem to find any news and people hardly ever call. I would scold, but I wasn't any better at calling while she was doing it, so I have nothing to say except I'll try to do it for a while until that person comes along who has a yen to write this column or until I can't, whichever comes first. Crystal did say she'd be back up, so that is comforting.

Debbie and Jessica Cantelo have moved from the Cross house here in town to the garage apartment in Jane Rolfe's house in The Park in Bethel. It was reminiscent of about 17 years ago when I moved from a large, six-room house to this place. Ah, what to keep and what to store and what to throw away. Unfortunately, I stored more than I threw, and it is still out at Ralph's camp taking up space and moldering away. I still haven't gotten up the courage to throw it out. Ralph said, "Leave it alone, Mama, you'll throw out all the wrong things." Alas, my own son aiding and abetting his mother in her sins of slothfulness and procrastination! Anyhow, Debbie says she'll miss all of you that she's met while here, but she's not far away. Give her a call if you can catch her in. Jessica will be attending summer school at Gould, so she will be a busy young lady.

My sister-in-law, Mary Mills, is presently a patient at Maine Med. The woman Mary had been caring for at Sebago Lake died last fall and Mary stayed the winter to look after the house until the new owners could take over. As Mary planned to make her home with her brother and sister-in-law, Donald and Marlyn Mills in North Norway, some of her friends took her out for a farewell dinner. Mary tripped on the restaurant stairs and smashed her knee and ended up undergoing surgery at Maine Med. It would be nice if the story ended there, but it doesn't. After a week or so stay she was released and went to North Norway. She was due for a check-up on May 7, and the X-rays revealed she had somehow broken her leg and had further complications of blood clots around the break, so she was back in surgery Tuesday, May 11. I did get to visit her at Don's but haven't gotten to Portland yet. One can only hope this is the last of these unfortunate happenings and she makes a speedy recovery. I'm sure she covets your prayers and would enjoy cards. Her address is: Rm. 606B, Maine Medical Center, Portland, ME 04101.

For other news, Gerry Shimamura and I were in Lewiston the other day doing a bit of shopping. At least

Gerry knows where she's going. My daughter Marcia had a chance to visit for three days in April, as she could get a ride with friends as far as Lewiston. I did all right getting into Lewiston and finding MacDonald's and I went home through Auburn with her in tow. But on taking her back to pick up her ride and after leaving with her friend, Candie Sampson and children, Misty, Jonathan and Amanda, I decided to do a bit of shopping in the Lewiston Mall. That was a mistake, because after leaving the mall I got in a wrong lane and had to turn right before I should have. Suffice to say the dog, Joshua, and I saw a great deal of real estate between Auburn and Turner but no familiar landmarks until I ended up going the wrong way at a four-way junction in Auburn that I recognized. I promptly turned around and headed back the way I came, made the right turn this time, and I was very glad when I got to Buckfield. I knew I could get home from there, which I did two hours later than I should have. Well, it's one way to tour Maine. And it was a lovely spring day.

Vera Cross has been working hard raking and cleaning up her large lawn, and it looks very nice. She puts me to shame. I have a 8 x 12 (maybe) size lawn and it's a mess. Her willows and my pine and birches out back really took a beating this winter.

At the last meeting of the Greenwood Fire Department Auxiliary, Veronica (Melville) Penley was elected president for the coming year. Sally Melville was presented a bouquet of flowers in appreciation of her work as president for the past few years. Cheryl Young was elected to the office of vice president with Mary Stone serving as secretary and Denise Swan as

treasurer. It was voted to give a sum of money to Project Graduation again this year. It was also noted that they would not be putting on the Woodstock Senior Citizens dinner this year.

At the next Greenwood Historical Society meeting on Wednesday, June 1, Vaino Waisanen from Westbrook will be speaking on Old Time Logging.

Norma Knight just returned from a visit with her sister, Hope Caskey, who lives in Ithaca, N.Y.

## East Stoneham

By ELEANOR NELSON

Pat and Carroll Buck are pleased to announce that they have a new great-granddaughter named Brittany Michelle. Her parents are Tonya and Stephen Fox of Camp Lejeune, N.C., and she joins a brother Kyle. Grandparents are Vickie and Steve Pike. All are doing OK.

Pat Buck took her mother, Ede Holt, to her eye doctor in Bridgton yesterday for a check-up. Ede has had a cataract removed and is doing OK.

Johnny Kahkonen from Oxford was at the home of Frances Grant this past weekend visiting and helping out on the farm. Frances is his great aunt.

Saturday, several townspeople attended the burial services at North Lovell for Hallie Harriman. Members of Kezar Lake Grange had a luncheon at the hall for family and friends afterwards.

I suppose you all saw the great annular solar eclipse on Tuesday afternoon. I tried to with a shoe box and cover but gave up and watched it on TV. I believe the next one will be in year 2012.

The Family Night Banquet put on Wednesday night was a success and

a fun time. This was put on by Oxford County United Parish and the proceeds go for summer camp scholarships for children in the area. The Fryeburg Academy Chorus, under the direction of Brent LaCasse, presented very enjoyable evening of music. Grace Nelson and myself were each winners of a door prize of a lovely decorated fruit basket. The baskets were on each table.

Eleanor Smith has retired from her work at the Open Door Home in North Waterford, which is run by Ruth Swett. Eleanor had been employed there for 11 1/2 years. Happy retirement, Elly.

Dot Bell of Lovell called on Dots Kilgore one day this past week.

The D.U.V. will be putting out flags at the cemeteries on Saturday, May 21, at 10 a.m.

The smelts are still "running." Didn't think we would have any this year, but son and grandsons came through and gave us a good mess, and were they ever good. Thanks, Gene, Eric and Troy.

## West Paris

By MIRIAM INMAN

Owen and Donna Melville from Woodland spent the weekend with her father, Ivan Proctor and Ivan, Jr., Peggy Lamb and John Beane of Palermo had dinner Sunday with her mother, Joyce Lamb. Newton joined them for the evening meal at daughter Judy and Mike McLaughlin's. Fred and Florence McLaughlin and Ronnie Benson were there for supper also.

Howard Ellingwood is recuperating at home after having surgery at Stephens Memorial Hospital on Monday.

Vicky Sanborn and Caroline from

North Conway, N.H., spent the day on Sunday with her parents, Vernon and Miriam Inman.

The annual May Sale will be held on Saturday, May 21, at Goodwill Hall of the Universalist Church from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Rhubarb pies will be featured and single pieces may also be purchased. A variety of other foods will be available, including sandwiches served with coffee or to take out. Craft items and white elephant items will also be on sale.

The West Paris Alumni Banquet will be held on June 4 at the Agnes Gray Gymnasium, and it is very important that reservations be sent in by May 21 along with sufficient payment. The address is West Paris Alumni Association, P.O. Box 179, West Paris, ME 04289-0179.

## Greenwood City

By COLISTA MORGAN

If one knows Greenwood City well and walks down the road and beyond the bridge he will find a cozy farm home. It shelters a lady, mother, grandmother and neighbor to all. On May 7 she celebrated her birthday and Mother's Day. Her daughter gave her a party at which there were 22 relatives and friends.

She has two sons, Robert and David, and a daughter, Ann, to whom her devotion is heartwarming to note.

Home to Fay and her husband Leonas Holt is the deepest spot on earth. The mountains printed sharply against the sky, the pond, her comfortable and attractive farm house, where overhead shuttle the swallows and robins walk her lawn; these are precious to her. The flowers, shrubs, memorable sunsets, when day fades, mean much to her.

One could easily be tempted to

stop for a time for you are greeted with a smile and nearly always there is the smell of new baked bread or pies, for cooking is her hobby and sharing it is a symbol of friendliness for neighbor or child, old time friendliness.

Another hobby is her house plants. There is proof from the blossom within her windows.

In her kitchen, a cozy place with warmth and cheer, memories speak of the family who likes to gather there.

Another place in which she likes to work, a rainbow place, her flower garden in bloom, roses and many others heavy with perfume.

These and many other things added together have made a busy, helpful and happy 76.

Rena Curtis was visited by several of her children and their families on Mother's Day.

Robert Holt and daughter, Jennett from Windsor visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonas Holt, over the weekend.

Dot Betts and I were at Stephens Memorial Hospital on Tuesday to see Doris Slattery who is a patient there. I was surprised to see another friend of many years in the same room. She was Rena Ring when I first came here to teach back in 1926. I also had her children in school. What a pleasant surprise that was!

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**So. Woodstock**

By ANDREA WING

Another rainy day! Seems like it rains about every other day. Everyone gets out to take a jaunt on the nice days. I saw Esther Davis taking her almost daily walk down the road and Brydie Kane taking her children for a stroll in their stroller. You have to get out and enjoy it, as it doesn't last long.

I went to Lewiston Tuesday morning to have a psoriasis treatment. I only have to go once every other week for now. Seems good.

Jessie Hart cut her head on a window at Telstar Middle School this week. Her mother Kellie had to take her to the emergency room for a couple of stitches.

Sarah Hart enjoyed opening her birthday presents last night. We had just a small gathering, as her mother Kellie has a touch of the flu. Cake and ice cream were served.

There have been several hummingbirds at their feeders this week. They are always fun to watch. I thought it was early but tried the feeders anyway. It worked!

I'm finally done my spring cleaning. Always seems so good to get it done. Winter sure makes for a dirty house. My house, anyway. I really enjoy it for a while after it's completed.

Don't forget the banquet of the 1944, 50-year, graduating class of Woodstock High School. This will be held June 4 at Telstar High School. All are welcome.

There will be a Benson descendants' family reunion, Saturday, May 21, at Richard and Andrea Wing's home. Dotte Critser will be here from Arizona and is looking forward to seeing everyone. There will be a potluck lunch at 1 p.m. Please bring a lawn chair and your own sodas. If you would like to come just to visit, come anytime in the afternoon. In case of rainy or cold weather the reunion will be held at the South Woodstock Union Church. We hope to have a good turnout.

Larry Billings, curator, Woodstock Historical Society, reports that the society observes that the author James Joyce once had one of his characters say, "All history moves toward one great goal, the manifestation of God." He also adds that the society looks at our area's development through the years. They also sponsor cultural events. You can join the society and make a contribution yourself. Think about it.

Quote of the week: "I've learned that honesty in little things is not a little thing."

**Golf tip of the week --**

Feel for pace -- Most people imagine that the direction of the putt is its most important aspect, but pace (or distance) is the critical factor. More second putts are missed because the first one has been struck too hard or soft rather than because it was wide of the target. Learn to feel for pace and it will reduce your number of putts.

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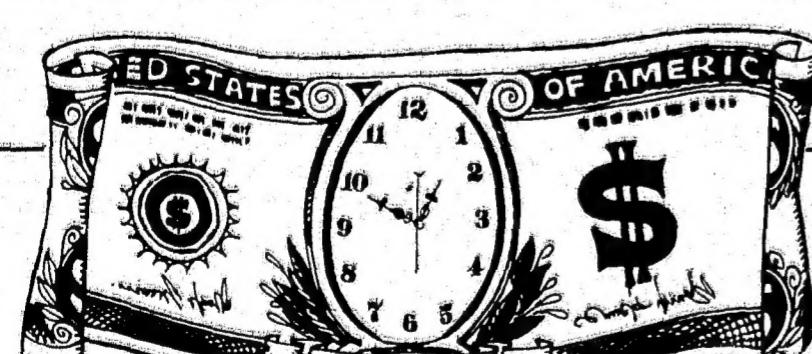
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**Bryant Pond**

By ALICE HOYT

Joyce Birch, Simsbury, Conn., was a recent guest of Barbara Hathaway.

The Woodstock-Greenwood Senior Citizens met at the Grange Hall on Thursday, May 5. A very nice luncheon was put on by the Firemen's Auxiliary. The program featured Mike Perry who told about his trip across America on bicycle. It was very interesting. Next meeting is June 2, and we go to the Chick-A-Dee restaurant for dinner.

Mary Billings gave some articles to the Historical Society. The society promotes fine projects and activities, give it your support. It also promotes knowledge of antiques, our cultural heritage, and of course history. Certainly such things are important to all of us.

Judith Grover Tent 17 met on Monday night with 12 members present. Elsie Bonney, junior vice president acted as president; Sally Sawyer as guide, Bessie House as senior vice president. The charter was draped for former nat. treasurer Vivian Gertz. General Orders #2 were read as well as nat. treasurer's report and letters from nat. chief of staff and department president Gail Butterfield. An application for membership was read. An investigation committee was appointed. Memorial Day plans were discussed. Delegates and alternates to the convention were appointed. Twenty-seven calls were reported. Cards were sent to Alice Wardwell, Ruth Dunham, Harriet Estes and Gail Butterfield. A poem was given on "Mothers" and a reading on "The Four Freedoms." Flags have been ordered. Next meeting will be June 13 with Elsie Bonney and Elena Noyes on refreshments. A silent auction was held.

The Memorial Day program will be held Monday, May 30, at the Honor Roll by the Grange Hall. The program starts at 1 p.m. Roland Lord will be the speaker and the band will be from Leavitt High School. The parade follows the program. All are welcome to attend.

The Woodstock High School Alumni Association met at the home of Alice Hoyt on Tuesday, May 10. Invitations were written to the classes of 1924, 1934, 1944, and Telstar seniors from Woodstock and Greenwood and others that applied for the \$50 scholarship. Posters were made. The Alumni Banquet will be held June 4 (Saturday) at Telstar Cafeteria at 6 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Hathaway joined a family dinner on Mother's Day at her daughter's, Phyllis and Reynold Jordan's.

Roland and Mary McMillin joined Ruth Dunham for dinner on Mother's Day. Alberta Scribner called on her mother, Ruth Dunham, a while on Mother's Day.

Beatrice Farnum and Alice and Ken Hoyt joined a get-together at Leatrice and John Chase's on Mother's Day. Others present were JoAnn, David, Ray and Shawna Crockett, Helen Chase, Crystal Chase, Robert Stevens, Keith, Jenny and Daniel.

**Upton**

By ARLINE BERNIER

The selectmen met Thursday to try to come to a conclusion on waste management. John Aron, dump attendant, resigned as some residents refuse to comply with recycling regulations. His was the second resignation this year.

Joshua, the friendly bear, has visited several places in town. He got Mardie's bird suet and she got pictures, he visited Ray and Vi Bernier, Jerry and Amy at the Trading Post as well as other homes and the dump.

The planning board met Monday night, May 2. Horace and Patricia Goodrum were granted a permit for the new home they are building on their property for occupation by their son Rodney. A permit for a shed was granted Walter Stanczyk on Mill Road.

The plowed ground on this Friday, May 13, is covered not by harvest but instead with that four-letter word which gives us cold shudders in May. Since my house is so full with new seedlings, I'd set pots of geraniums and other plants on the silk figurine to cover them if the temperatures dropped. Wind blew off the heavy cover and even the silk poinsettias got nipped. Maybe the cucurbits sprouting in coffee cans on my table should mature there. Be careful not to stumble over a pumpkin when you come to call.

Upton Ladies' Aid hosted the Mother and Daughter Banquet Tuesday evening. Very welcome but fewer than expected ladies from Newry and family guests of members were present.

The banquet was planned and prepared by Leslie Aron and Ellie LeComte. Lucille Largesse and Christine Morton were in charge of the program.

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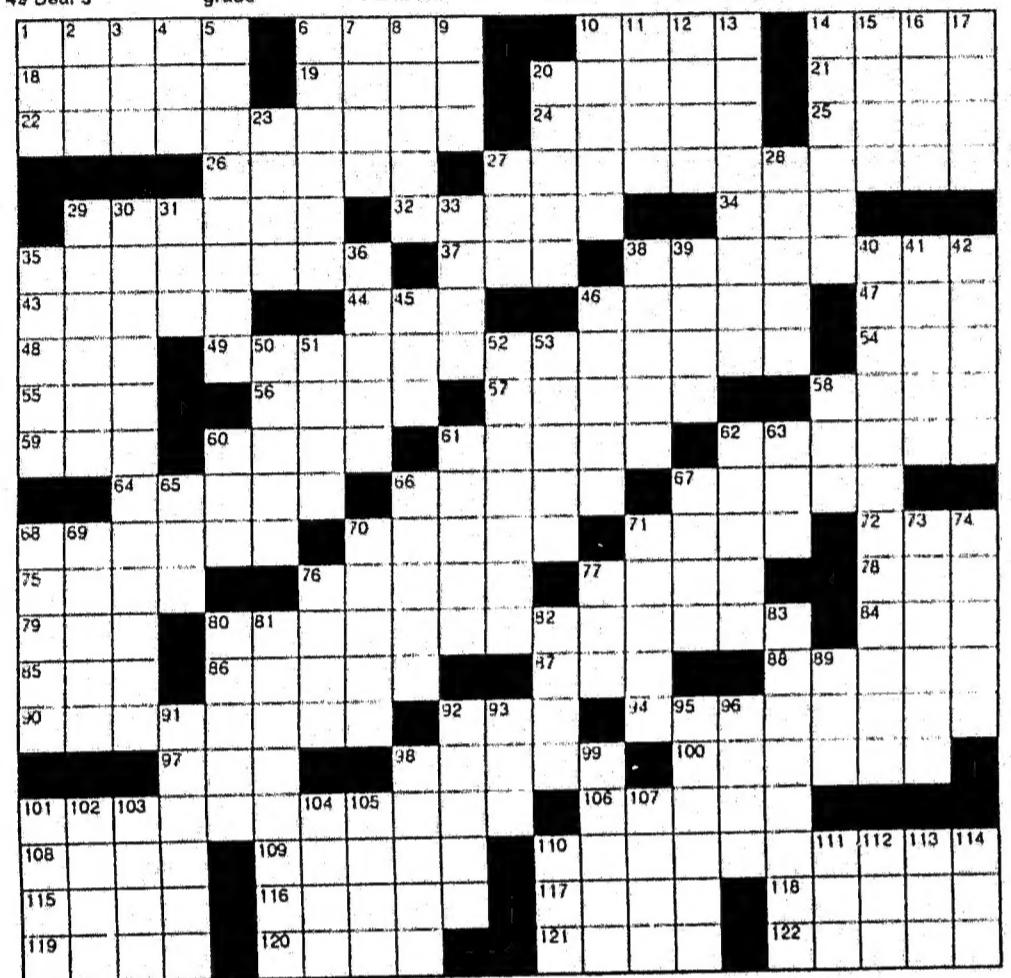
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1 "Call Me"— favorite drama?  
6 Baylor Univ. locale 54 Mine find  
10 Diffuse 55 Prefix for center or graph  
14 Applaud 56 A Four  
18 Texas landmark 57 Skirt feature  
19 Out of town 58 Billing  
20 Native New Zealander 59 Mill unit  
21 Film holder 60 Thames town  
22 Kangaroo's favorite appetizer? 61 Folksy poet  
24 Helps a hood 62 Willie Shoemaker, e.g.  
25 Mr. Saarinen 64 Snake-bite poison  
26 Building feature 66 Cock and bull  
27 Lion's favorite song? 67 Maestro  
29 Go from place to place 68 Kliauea, for one  
32 German spa 70 Can't stand for "earth"  
34 Word form 71 Camp activity  
35 He wasn't well-hoofed 72 — Dinh Dien  
37 Blint stats 75 Hawaiian harbor  
38 Friendly contacts? 76 Burr or Neville  
43 Mirella of the Met 77 Nod off  
44 Sturm — Drang 78 "Spare tire"  
46 Summoned mommy 79 Out of sorts  
47 Bray beginning 80 Zebra's favorite volunteers?  
48 Actor Hunter 84 Conductor's place  
49 Bear's grade 85 Passing grade

ELLIS RIVER RIDERS PLAN  
TRAILS DAY RIDE

The Ellis River Riders of Andover are planning to celebrate National Trails Day again this year by hosting a trail ride on Saturday, June 4.

National Trails Day is celebrated across the country by various organizations to help promote the use of multipurpose recreational trails available for public use. The riding club wants to help maintain the privilege of using privately owned lands for recreational riding. In this area there is little public land, and the trail network is mostly over private property, and paper company land.

The ride this year will begin at the Andover arena on Airport Road at 10 a.m. There are two trails, one is an easy eight-mile loop, and the other is a longer 20-mile ride. The ride is not limited to club members, and everyone is invited.

The following day, Sunday, June 5, there will be an Open Horse Show held at the arena. The show starts at 9 a.m., rain or shine. Spectators are welcome at no charge. For more information on National Trails Day or the Open Horse Show, please contact The Ellis River Riders, Inc., Box 332, Andover, ME 04216-0332, or call 392-2381.

## SHAKER MUSEUM OPENS

The Sabbathday Lake Museum, Poland Spring, will open for the season on Monday, May 30. A new exhibit, entitled "A Sheet, A Gift, Plans and Paintings: Shaker Visual Art," will feature examples of Shaker gift drawings, panoramic Shaker Village views and Victorian era Shaker paintings.

The year 1994 is the bicentennial celebration of the formal organization of the Sabbathday Lake Shakers, the last active Shaker community in the country. Workshops, a conference, crafts demonstrations, a Portland String Quartet concert will be part of the bicentennial year in addition to daily tours.

The museum is open Memorial Day-Columbus Day, Mondays through Saturdays, 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. (closed Sundays).

For more information telephone 926-4597.

## BETHEL SWIMMING LESSONS

Again this year the Bethel Area Recreational Program will be offering Red Cross swimming lessons at Songo Pond. Lessons will begin July 5 and run Monday-Friday until July 29. Registration forms may be picked up at the Bethel Town Office starting June 1. The cost is \$5 for Bethel residents and \$10 for non-residents for the full four weeks of lessons. For further information call 824-2816.



**FOXY ACTRESSES**—"Henny Penny" is one of several Grimm Brothers' fables to be presented at Telstar on Thursday and Friday, May 26 and 27 at 7 p.m. Foxy Loxy, center, played by Sili Cressey, is eyeing her potential supper while deceiving the innocent birds to her lair. Surrounding her (clockwise from the lower left) are: Alyssa Howe, Crystal Aylward, Lydia Grover, Elyse Bennett, Jessie Coolidge, and Amanda Gilbert.

## Telstar 'Story Theatre'

Telstar Drama Club will present "Story Theatre" Thursday and Friday, May 26 and 27 at 7 p.m., at the Helen Berry Auditorium at Telstar Regional High School.

The collection of ancient children's stories and fables, adapted by Paul Sills, will provide a fun evening of family entertainment. The traditional stories performed by the Telstar Drama Club members include: "The Little Peasant," "Henny Penny," "The Two Crows," "The Golden Goose," "The Fisherman and his Wife," and "Bremen Town Musicians."

Carol Fiske is directing this collection of the Grimm Brothers' fables for the public Thursday and Friday nights and Thursday morning for the Crescent Park School student body. Tickets may be purchased at the door: \$3 for adults, \$1.50 for children under 12, \$6 for family pass. Money collected will go towards lighting improvements at the auditorium. For more information call Carol Fiske at 824-3034.

## Rotary Club notes:

The Bethel Rotary Club met on Tuesday, May 3, in the Masonic Lodge dining room. Guests include Bill Newell of the Oxford Hills Club and Mike Hart of the Portsmouth Club.

Rotary Information, delivered by Linda Verrill, was on the topic "Keep the Wheel Turning" and used the Rotary symbol as a metaphor.

President Nancy Harrison gave a report on the previous day's board of directors meeting.

She also reminded members of some upcoming dates: May 21, Fryeburg Rotary Club's charter night; June 20, the club's 20th anniversary party; June 23-25, District Conference; June 24-25, Rotary Youth Leadership Awards (conference).

Scott Dennis explained some innovative ways of contributing to the scholarship fund.

## County residents ski free until ...

Sunday River Ski Resort is offering Oxford County residents free skiing for the remainder of the season, which is currently expected to last into early June, according to resort officials.

Skiing at this point in the season is for advanced skiers only, on the White Heat trail.

To qualify for free skiing, residents need only show proof of residency in any Oxford County town at the ticket desk in the White Cap Base Lodge.

## RUMFORD COMMUNITY HOSPITAL SPRING BAZAAR

The Rumford Community Hospital Auxiliary will host an annual Spring Bazaar on May 21. The event will be on the hospital grounds from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Many favorite activities will be offered, including a bazaar and a flea market. The event will be held on the hospital grounds from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Also for the day will be a variety of fun food, games and activities, including a doll clinic and a craft fair.

Other attractions will include a Chinese market, Chinese and Muffin Games, and a Prizes auction.

Judging for the best decorated house will be held at 11:30 a.m. with a winning pie contest.

Proceeds from the event will support the Scholastic Fund and special projects.

For more information, call 562-7070.



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## Community Calendar

## ACTIVITIES

The Episcopal House Church will meet on the fourth Sunday in May (May 22). All welcome to a time of worship, discussion and fellowship at 4 p.m. at the Bohrs', 38 Chapman Street, Bethel (824-2913).

Thursdays—Sale of vegetarian food (proceeds benefit the Forestdale School) at Thurlow Hall, Perkins Valley Road, Woodstock. For information call 674-2971.

May through June, 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.—photography exhibit by Maria Termini at Bethel Pizza, Main Street, Bethel. For information call 824-4091.

Friday and Saturday, May 20-21, 8 p.m. and May 22, 2 p.m.—"Nunsense" will be presented by Oxford Hills Music and Performing Arts Association at Paris Hill Academy building, South Paris. Tickets on sale at Books 'N Things, Oxford Plaza or by calling 743-7123.

May 19 to June 5—Westbrook College Gallery will exhibit "Selections From The Westbrook College Collection," which includes art works by regional, national and European artist of historic and contemporary importance. During May gallery open noon to 5 p.m. and June 2 to 5, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Thursday, May 19, 7 p.m.—Windy Valleys Sno-moblie Club meeting at the Town Building, Newry.

Oxford County Democratic candidates for Maine's Second Congressional District will be at the Unitarian-Universalist Church, Main Street, Norway, at 7 p.m. Coffee and dessert will be \$1.

"War and Peace: Conflict Resolution and Teens" will be subject of Central Maine Medical Center Health Start program at CMMC Conference and Education Center, Lewiston. Time: 7 to 8:30 p.m. Free.

Friday, May 20, 1:30 to 3 p.m.—"Gardening Series, Part V: Small Fruits" presentation at HORIZONS/55 Senior Health Information Center, Lewiston Mall, Lewiston. To register call 795-2905 or 1-800-564-4555. Seating limited.

Friday and Saturday, May 20-21, 7:30 p.m.—"You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown" will be presented by Gould Academy Student Theater at Bingham Auditorium, Gould Academy. Public invited free of charge.

Saturday, May 21, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.—Plant Sale at Agnes Gray School, West Paris.

Bethel Chamber of Commerce annual Awards Banquet at the Summit Hotel, Sunday River.

Androscoggin Home Health Services Tulip Race (25-mile) in Lewiston, Cost \$15. Call 777-7740 or 1-800-482-7412 (in Maine) for information and registration forms.

Windham Valley Sno-Mobile Club's Lawn Sale at Newry Corner.

May Fair, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., featuring Mickey and Minnie Mouse as hosts, a family fun auction, local entertainment, flea market, used-book sale, petting zoo, games, foods and much more, sponsored by CPS PTA at the CPS complex, Telstar High School, Bethel. (rain date: May 22)

Oxford County Retired Teachers meet at Oxford Legion Hall: 10:30 a.m., social period; 11 a.m., business meeting. Fund-raiser will be a plant sale. Bring your volunteer work hour reports.

Democratic County Committee will host candidates for governor at 7 a.m. breakfast, St. Anthony-St. John Church, corner Knox and Main streets, Rumford. Cost is \$3. All citizens invited to attend.

Spring Bazaar at Rumford Community Hospital, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., to support scholarship fund, community education and special projects sponsored by the hospital. For more information or to reserve flea market space (\$15), call 562-7056 or 364-3648.

East Bethel Cemetery clean-up, 9 a.m. Rain date Sunday, May 22.

Bottle Drive at Woodstock School to benefit fifth-grade year-end activities. To donate bottles call 665-2057 or leave them at the school.

Sunday, May 22, 9 a.m.—Ellis River Riders "members only" show at arena on Airport Road, off Route 5, Andover. Food and refreshments available. Admission free. Must be a member to show. For information call Sheila and Bruce Weld at 562-7458.

Monday, May 23, 7 p.m.—Worker's Compensation Workshop at Telstar High School lecture hall, sponsored by Evans Notch Economic Project. For information call Greg Herrick at 824-2282.

## DISTRICT EXCHANGE

Open every Monday 1-4 p.m., Thursday, 4-8 p.m., and the first Saturday of each month from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Ethel Bisbee School, Bethel. Clothing on sale, food available for those in need.

## SAFER FAMILIES

Safer Families of Oxford County sponsors free and confidential domestic violence services and support groups for presently or formerly abused women. Meetings are held in Bethel at 6:30 p.m., in Rumford on Tuesdays at 9 a.m. and in South Paris at 9:30 p.m. The Safer Families toll free 24-hour help and crisis hotline is 1-800-520-4220. For more information call 824-4222 or 1-800-520-4220 (24-hours a day).

## ABUSED WOMEN'S ADVOCACY PROGRAM

AWAP serves all of Oxford County and sponsors free and confidential services for presently or formerly abused women. Rumford office—369-0750; 24-hour hotline 1-800-559-2927.

## LIBRARY HOURS

Andover Library: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday, 1-4:30 p.m.; Thursday, 6 to 8 p.m. Tel. 392-4841.

Bethel Library: Monday, 9 a.m.-1 p.m.; Tuesday, 1-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1-5 p.m., 6-8 p.m.; Thursday, 1-5 p.m.; Friday, 4-8 p.m.; Saturday, 1-5 p.m. Story Hour for preschoolers, Thursday, 10-11 a.m. (September through May), Betsy Raymond, Librarian.

Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond: Tel. 665-2505. Library hours: Tuesday and Thursday, 1-6:30 p.m. Saturday, 10 a.m. to noon.

Hamlin Memorial Library, Paris Hill: Tuesday-Friday, 11:30-5:30; Saturday, 10-2; Wednesday evening, 7-9 p.m. Tel. 743-2980.

West Paris Library, West Paris: Monday 3-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1:30-7 p.m.; Friday, 1:30-5 p.m.

Gardner Roberts Memorial Library, Hanover: Wednesday, 10-12 through July and August. Story Hour, 10:30 a.m.

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### RUMFORD COMMUNITY HOSPITAL SPRING BAZAAR

The Rumford Community Hospital Auxiliary will sponsor its fifth annual Spring Bazaar on Saturday, May 21. The event will take place on the hospital grounds from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

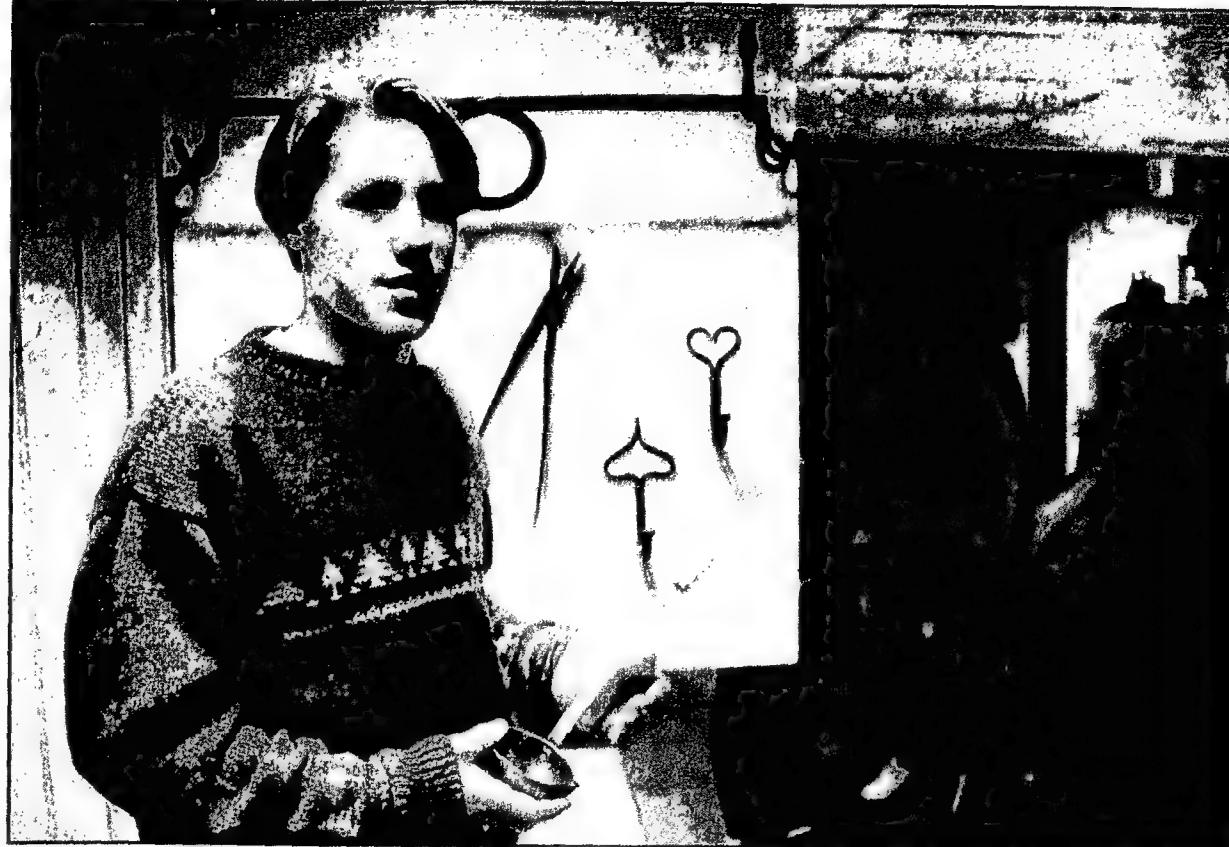
Many favorite events and activities will be returning to the bazaar and a few new surprises have been planned. Rod Kuhl, P.A., will be manning the free teddy bear and doll clinic from 9 a.m. to noon. Also for the younger generation will be a variety of games, balloons and fun food. At noon the winners of a recent poster contest sponsored by the hospital in the local elementary schools will be announced. Some of the entries will be on display.

Other attractions of the day for all ages will be a seedling sale, flea market, Chinese auction, Lucky-7 and Muffin Game, beano, starting around 11 a.m., and sale of Grand Prize raffle tickets. The Chinese auction and grand prize winners will be drawn at 3 p.m.

Judging for the pie contest will be held at 11:30 a.m. and pieces of the winning pies will be on sale at noon. Anyone in the community is welcome to enter a pie in the contest. Also, donations of baked goods for the food table would be greatly appreciated. Such donations of food or pies may be brought to the bazaar that day or left at the hospital coffee shop between 8 a.m. and 2 p.m. on Friday or at the front desk of the hospital.

Proceeds from the bazaar go to support the Scholarship Fund and to contribute to community education and special projects sponsored by the hospital.

For more information or to reserve a flea market space, cost \$15, call 562-7056 or 364-3648.



GOULD OPENS STUDENT ART EXHIBIT—Gould Academy freshman Zack Leck stands with a number of works he forged in the school's blacksmith shop. Friday, Gould opened its Student Art Exhibition. Other student works include photography, silversmithing, painting, and sculpture. The student show has been favorably compared to college art shows. The Owen Gallery is open to the public at no charge.

(Photo by Kirk Siegel)

### ANDOVER YARD/CRAFT SALE

Now is the time to reserve space for the annual Andover Community Yard and Craft Sale, to be held Saturday, June 18 (rain or shine), 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on the Town Common.

Cost: residents \$10; non-residents \$20; tables available, \$5 extra; power, \$5 extra. Proceeds to benefit Andover Olde Home Days fund. For information call Nancy Wardwell at 392-2131 (evenings).

The play has been coordinated by director Douglas Alford, musical director Paul Nelson, and technical director Vicki Rackliffe. For further information about the performance, contact Doug Alford at 824-7700.

### Charlie Brown at Gould

Gould Academy Student Theater will present the musical comedy, "You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown," on Friday, May 20, and Saturday, May 21, at 7:30 p.m. in Bingham Auditorium. The public is invited to attend free of charge.

The performance is a series of vignettes based on the popular cartoon by Charles Schulz. The cast includes: Adam Lismore of Medway, Mass., as Linus; Brigitte Dubin of Saco, as Peppermint Patty; Dylan Hersman of Mill Valley, Calif., as Schroeder; and Alice Astaria of Yarmouth, as Snoopy. Chorus members include: Rob Blake of Newcastle; Annelise Bass of Bethel; Anna Mosca of Lovell; Miguel Fernandez de Santos of Madrid, Spain; Brandy Haught of Grantham, N.H.; and Sarah Dodge of Deer Isle.

The play has been coordinated by director Douglas Alford, musical director Paul Nelson, and technical director Vicki Rackliffe. For further information about the performance, contact Doug Alford at 824-7700.

### WESTERN LINE DANCING

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## Strike up the band

By WENDY HANSCOM

Have you got a clarinet in the closet covered with cobwebs? Do you have fond memories of playing in your hometown high school or college band?

A group of local formally "retired" amateur musicians is hoping you're willing to liven up your lips, dust off your musical instrument and join a SAD44 area community band.

Telstar High School alumna Rhonda Baker of Newry is helping organize the proposed band. She's hoping enough people will join up so the band could march in local parades and put on occasional concerts.

"It's time for a group like this," Baker said. "Telstar doesn't have a band anymore, but there are people in the community who were in high school bands. We hope to form a marching band and/or concert band to play at area events such as Molyockett Day, Memorial Day, Andover Olde Home Days and school productions. Another goal is

to give concerts on the Bethel common. We want people from all over the SAD44 area."

The band would be open to musicians of all ages and experience.

The Mahoosuc Arts Council and SAD44 Adult Ed. have both agreed to sponsor the band.

Band supporters are looking for an instructor to lead the group and perhaps give a few musical lessons to novices. Some money may be available through Adult Ed. or Mahoosuc Arts to pay an instructor, Baker said.

The group is also planning to ask the SAD44 School Board of Directors if some of the district-owned musical instruments now in storage can be used. Some of those instruments include, drums, baritone horns and sousaphones.

The group is planning a start-up meeting soon. Anyone interested in joining the band, or in more information, can call Baker at 824-3076 or Vicki Rackliffe at 824-3575.

### COUNSELOR-IN-TRAINING PROGRAM AT SUNDAY RIVER

Camp Sunday River will offer a Counselor in Training (C.I.T.) program during the regular camp season (June 20-Aug. 12). The C.I.T. program is for teens aged 16-18 interested in outdoor experiential education and working with children.

The C.I.T.'s will work with experienced outdoor educators and counselors as the staff provides day camp and environmental programs for children aged 5-15. Camp Sunday River activities include hiking, mountain biking, environmental education, swimming initiative skills and more.

Interested teenagers should contact Maggie Sjostrom, Camp Director, at 824-2187, ext. 239. Interviews must be scheduled prior to May 31.

Space is still available for camp participants in all sessions.

### DEMOCRATIC FORUMS

The Oxford County Democratic Committee will sponsor two candidate forums prior to the June 14 primary election.

On Thursday, May 19, Democratic candidates for Maine's Second Congressional District will be in Norway at the Unitarian Universalist Church on Main Street at 7 p.m. to speak with voters. Coffee and dessert will be served for \$1 to defray costs of the event. The seven candidates invited to appear are: Sen. John Baldacci, Rep. Mary Cathcart, Shawn Hallisey, Jean Hay, Jim Howanite, District Attorney Janet Mills and Jim Mitchell. All plan to attend.

On Saturday, May 21, the County Committee will host the candidates for governor at a 7 a.m. breakfast at St. Anthony-St. John Church at the corner of Knox and Main streets in Rumford. Tom Allen, Richard Barringer, Joe Brennan, Donnie Carroll and Bob Woodbury will speak and answer questions. The cost of the breakfast is \$3.

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## THURSDAY EVENING MAY 19, 1994

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(3) Cheers	Major League Baseball: Boston Red Sox at Baltimore Orioles						News	M*A*S*H	H. Patrol	
(5) Waltons	Young Riders	Rescue 911		700 Club			Bonanza			
(6) Murphy B.	Roseanne	Mad About You	Seinfeld	Frasier	L.A. Law		News			
(8) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Matlock			Primetime Live		News			
(10) MaineWatch: Campaign	Maine	Maine	Mystery!		Challenge to America	Charlie Rose				
(11) Sportsctr.	Stanley Cup Playoffs: Eastern Conf. Final			Baseball	Sportscenter					
(12) Club Dance	News	B. Mandrell	Music City Tonight		Club Dance		News			
(13) Entertain.	Edition	"Twilight Zone: Rod Serling's Lost Classics"		Eye to Eye			News			
(14) 10th Frame	Whalers	Winston Cup Special	U.S.I.S.L.	Soccer	Harness	Journal	Talk Sport			
(15) Movie: "Star Trek III: The Search for Spock"		Movie: "To Be the Best"		Comedy	"Casualties of War"					
(17) Movie: "The Girl From Tomorrow"		"The Private Navy of Sgt. O'Farrell"	Child of Mine		Sink-Bis.					
(18) "Crocodile Dundee II"	Movie: "Malcolm X"				Nowhere					
(20) Drag Racing: NHRA	Count-Indy	Big Wheel	Motorcycle Racing	MotorSports Hour	This Week in NASCAR					
(21) Unsolved Mysteries	Sisters		Movie: "The Price She Paid"		Unsolved Mysteries					
(22) Griffith	B. Hillbillies	Movie: "The Sacketts"								
(24) Doug	Muppets	Partridge	Mork	Love Lucy	Newhart	M.T. Moore	M.T. Moore	Van Dyke	Get Smart	
(25) Movie: "The Virgin Queen"				Movie: "Another Man's Poison"		Movie: "Anna Lucasta"				
(26) Wings	Wings	Murder, She Wrote		Movie: "The Operation"		Wings	Wings			
(27) In Search Of	Real West		Bob Dylan: Don't Look Back		Time Machine					
(32) Eat Daisies	Eddie's	Hazel	That Girl	Renegade	News	Kojak				
(34) Design W.	Jeffersons	Tekwar			News	Night Court	Highlander			
(39) Moneyline	Crossfire	Primewalk	Larry King Live	World News	Sports	Moneyline				

## FRIDAY EVENING MAY 20, 1994

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) Cheers	M*A*S*H	Major League Baseball: Boston Red Sox at Minnesota Twins			M*A*S*H	H. Patrol				
(5) Waltons		Movie: "The Reluctant Astronaut"		700 Club		Bonanza				
(6) Murphy B.	Roseanne	Movie: "Backdraft"				News				
(8) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Fam. Mat. Sister, Sis. Step by S. Mr. Cooper	20/20		News					
(10) MacNeil-Lehrer	Wash. Wk.	Wall St.	Mulberry	Keep Up	Served	Bless Me	Smith & J.	Ch. Rose		
(11) Sportsctr.	To Be Announced			Stanley Cup Playoffs						
(12) Club Dance	News	Hot Country Nights	Music City Tonight		Club Dance		News			
(13) Entertain.	Edition	Miss Universe Pageant		Carol Burnett		News				
(14) Tonite	Back Table	U.S.I.S.L.	Scottish Soccer	Transworld Sport	Horse R.	Winston C				
(15) Fast Getaway: Cont'd	Move: Rapid Fire		Shock Video	Movie: "Honor and Glory"						
(17) Misadventures	Move: "The Monkey's Uncle"		Movie: "Never Cry Wolf"							
(18) Robot Jox	Cont'd	Movie: Carnosaur	Movie: Coming to America		Emman 5					
(20) ATP Tour	Count-Indy	Tennis WTA German Open - Final		Boxing: Prime Championship Series						
(21) Unsolved Mysteries	Sisters	Movie: Maybe Baby		Mysteries	Girls N.					
(22) Griffith	B. Hillbillies	Matlock		Major League Baseball: Atlanta Braves at Colorado Rockies						
(24) Doug	Muppets	Partridge	Mork	Love Lucy	Newhart	M.T. Moore	M.T. Moore	Van Dyke	Get Smart	
(25) Movie: "No Highway in the Sky"			Movie: "Fate Is the Hunter"		No Highway in the Sky					
(26) Wings	Wings	Murder, She Wrote	Movie: "Blindfold: Acts of Obsession"	Bikini Car Wash						
(27) In Search Of	Time Machine		Investigative Reports	Ancient Mysteries	Evening at the Improv					
(32) Eat Daisies	Major League Baseball: New York Mets at Philadelphia Phillies		News	Hazel						
(34) Design W.	Jeffersons	Columbo	News	Major League Baseball: White Sox at Athletics						
(39) Moneyline	Crossfire	Primewalk	Larry King Live	World News	Sports	Moneyline				

## SATURDAY EVENING MAY 21, 1994

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) Empty Nest	Murphy B.	Major League Baseball: Boston Red Sox at Minnesota Twins			The Spirit of St. Louis					
(5) Bordertown	Skies	Movie: "True Grit"			Snowy River: McGregor	Rescue				
(6) Discov.	Cheers	Fantasies of the Stars	Empty Nest	Empty Nest	Sisters	News	Sat. Night			
(8) Fortune	Jeopardy!	World of Discovery	40th Anniversary		News	3 Faces				
(10) Maine	Media W.	Spelling Bee	Orleans	Bangor Symphony Orchestra	Robin Hood					
(11) Sportsctr.	Stanley Cup Playoffs: Eastern Conf. Final			Baseball	Sportscenter					
(12) Video	Auto Racing	NASCAR Winston Select		Winners	Opry	GrandOpry				
(13) Untouchables	Dr. Quinn, Medicine Woman		Walker, Texas Ranger	News						
(14) UMASS Basket	U.S.I.S.L.	Scottish Soccer	Irish Football Highlights	Golf	Boxing					
(15) Memoirs-Invis.	Movie: "White Mile"	Movie: "Beverly Hills Cop II"		League						
(17) Movie: "Rock-A-Doodle"	Winnie	Movie: "Beauty and the Beast"	Elvis: Center Stage	Battle-Apes						
(18) Indiana Jones	Movie: "Lethal Weapon 3"		Movie: "Extreme Justice"							
(20) Aussie Football	Rugby	College Tennis		College Tennis						
(21) Thief of Hearts	Movie: "Souvenir"		Girls Night Out	Anything	Shandling					
(22) WCW Wrestling	Cont'd	Perry Mason: Case of Desperate Deception		Perry Mason: The Case of the Silenced Singer						
(24) Doug	Rugrats	Clarissa	R'house	Ren-Stumpy/Afraid?	Very Very Hypnotic					
(25) Movie: "War and Peace"	Cont'd	In H'wood	Movie: "In Harm's Way"							
(26) Case Closed	Movie: "Back to the Future Part II"		Weird Sci.	Duckman	"License to Drive"					
(27) Hm. Again	Hm. Again	Movie: "The Four Seasons"		Best of Comic Relief	Comedy on the Road					
(32) Eat Daisies	Eddie's	Hazel	That Girl	Mod Squad	News	Charles	Kojak			
(34) Runaway	Fortune	Movie: "Warlock"		News	Night Court	Jaws"				
(39) Capital	Sports Sat.	Primewalk	Larry King Weekend	World News	Sports	Capital				

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2 C-SPAN	21 Lifetime
3 WSBK-TV 38, Boston	22 WTBS, Atlanta
4 Channel 4, Bethel	23 CNBC
5 The Family Channel	24 Nickelodeon
6 WCSH, NBC Portland	25 American Movie Classics (AMC)
7 Sunday River Ski TV	26 USA Network
8 WMTW, ABC, Auburn	27 Arts & Entertainment (A&E)
9 QVC Home Shopping	30 inspirational Network
10 WCBB, PBS, Lewiston	32 WWOR, New York
11 ESPN	33 CNN Headline News
12 The Nashville Network (TNN)	34 WGN, Chicago
13 WGME, CBS, Portland	35 Video Hits + 1 (VH-1)
14 Sports Channel New England (SCNE)	36 Country Music Television (CMT)
15 HBO*	37 Discovery Channel
16 The Learning Channel	38 MTV Music Television
17 The Disney Channel*	39 Cable News Network (CNN)
18 Cinemax*	
19 The Weather Channel	
20 NESN*	
	* Premium Channels

## SUNDAY EVENING MAY 22, 1994

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) Kung Fu: The Legend				Movie: "Casablanca"			News	Manager	H. Patrol	Hockey
(5) Jungle	Big Jake		Country Music Spotlight	Snowy River: McGregor	In Touch	</				

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Ben Haden	Ankerberg
News	Suspect
News	Crusaders
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Road Test	Speed
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Earth	Fitness
Get Smart	Dragnet
"Wuthering Heights"	
Silk Stalkings	
Caroline's Comedy Hour	
Kojak	
Night Court	Lifestyles
Sports	Business

11:00	11:30
M'A'S'H	H. Patrol
Bonanza	
News	
News	Ch. Rose
Sportscenter	
	News
Club Golf	Soccer
	Comedy
Movie: "The Lady Eve"	
Movie: "Carnosaur"	
Boxing: Fight Night	
Unsolved Mysteries	
Van Dyke	Get Smart
Movie: "The Rat Race"	
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Kojak	
II: Cubs at Dodgers	
Sports	Moneyline

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Moore	Van Dyke	Get Smart
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Wings		
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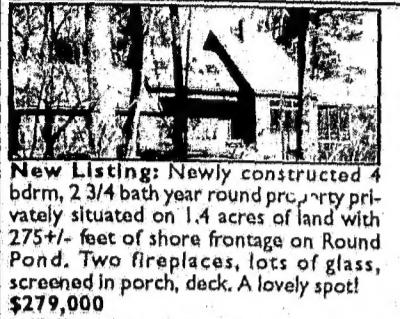
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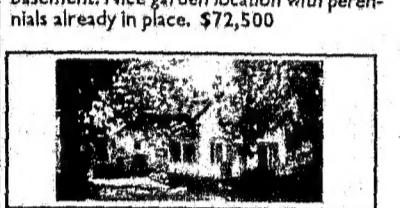
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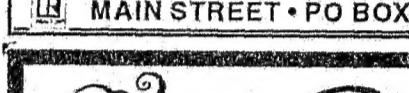
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WARRANT FOR DISTRICT BUDGET MEETING of MAINE SCHOOL ADMINISTRATIVE DISTRICT #44

TO: Diana E. Witt, and the members of the Board of Education of the Maine School Admin. Dist. #44, and the towns of Bethel, New Haven, and Wiscasset, Maine. Maine School Admin. Dist. #44 affairs, to meet at the Helen C. Berry Auditorium, Telstar Regional Middle/High School, in the Town of Bethel on Wednesday, the 25th day of May, 1994, at 7:00 p.m. the Board is to act on the following budget:

ARTICLE I: To approve & to ratify the proposed budget for 1994-95.

ARTICLE II: Shall the Regional Vocational Budget as approved by the Cooperative Board for the year 1994-95 be approved in the amount of \$ 862,668. M.S.A.D. #44 Assessment \$ 203,439.

ARTICLE III: Shall the Regional Vocational Budget as approved by the Cooperative Board for the year 1994-95 be approved in the amount of \$ 189,584. M.S.A.D. #44 Assessment \$ 3,247.

ARTICLE IV: Shall the Regional Vocational Budget as approved by the Cooperative Board for NOVA Term 3 (Summer School) for the Summer of 1994 be approved in the amount of \$21,400. M.S.A.D. #44 Assessment \$2,632.

ARTICLE V: To see what sum the District will appropriate from the foundation allocation for school purposes for the year 1994-95 (Recommend \$3,791,132.) and to see what sum the District will raise as the local share of the foundation allocation (Recommend \$1,964,099.)

ARTICLE VI: To see what sum the District will appropriate from the debt service allocation for the year 1994-95 (Recommend \$719,066.) and to see what sum the District will raise as the local share of debt service (Recommend \$203,618.)

ARTICLE VII: To see what sum the District will raise in additional local funds under the provisions of 20-A M.R.S. ss 1651A for 1994-95 (Recommend \$1,620,873.)

ARTICLE VIII: To see what sum the District will authorize the School Board to expend for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1994, and ending June 30, 1995, from the foundation allocation, debt service allocation, unexpended balances, lunch receipts, local appropriations, state subsidy, and other receipts for the support of schools (School Board recommends \$ 6,845,356.)

ARTICLE IX: To see what sum the District will appropriate for adult education for the year 1994-95 (Recommend \$173,577.) and to see what sum the District will raise at the local share (Recommend \$ 65,964.)

ARTICLE X: To see if the District will vote to authorize the Board of Directors to make applications for, accept, and expend on behalf of the School District all gifts, advances, grants in aid, or other funds for educational purposes as may now or hereafter be available or forthcoming from the U.S. Government, the State of Maine, any private or public agency, or any individual.

This budget does not include the estimated amount of \$414,539, in employer share of teacher retirement costs that is paid directly by the State.

Given under our hands this 25th day of May, 1994.  
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BOARD OF DIRECTORS of MAINE SCHOOL ADMINISTRATIVE DISTRICT #44

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ATTEST: Diana E. Witt

# Obituaries

## GERALD HARRINGTON

Gerald "Gabe" Harrington, 61, of Newry died Sunday, May 15, 1994, at Stephens Memorial Hospital.

He was born in West Greenwood on Oct. 4, 1932, the son of Bernard L. and Mauda (Cummings) Harrington. He was educated in Bethel schools.

He was self-employed as a logging contractor and general contractor for 40 years. He lived in the Sunday River Valley in Newry for 39 years.

He married Linda Richardson on Oct. 4, 1952.

Survivors include his wife, of Bethel; two sons, Ralph and Bradley, both of Newry; one daughter, Peggy Fournier of White River Junction, Vt.; three brothers, Rodney of Lafayette, Ind., Franklin of Bethel and Raymond of West Greenwood; five grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

A public graveside service will be held Wednesday, May 18, 11 a.m. at Irish Neighborhood Cemetery, West Greenwood. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in his memory to Androscoggin Home Health Services, 1100 Minot Avenue, P.O. Box 2660, Auburn 04211-2660, or the Maine Muscular Dystrophy Association, Congress Street, Portland 04112. At the request of the family, donations can also be made to a charity of choice.

## RODNEY E. EAMES

Rodney E. Eames, 73, Cape Elizabeth, formerly of Bethel, died Tuesday evening, May 10, 1994, at his home after an extended illness.

He was born in Newry, Aug. 13, 1920, the son of Ernest Eames and Eva (Thompson) Chapman, and attended Bethel schools. A resident of Bethel for the greater portion of his life, he had lived in Cape Elizabeth for the past 20 years. Mr. Eames retired in 1979, due to ill health, from the Portland Pipeline Corp. of South Portland as a foreman of the mechanical maintenance division. He served in the U.S. Army in the European Theater of World War II as a technical sergeant with the 3rd Army. Mr. Eames received a Bronze Star for valor during the Battle of the Bulge for repairing tanks while under heavy enemy fire.

After discharge from the service, he entered into several businesses in Bethel, including Central Service Station, the bowling alley and Bethel Restaurant. Mr. Eames held membership in Mundi-Allen American Legion Post of Bethel, Bethel Lodge 97 AF&AM and was a member of West Parish Congregational Church.

Mr. Eames is survived by his wife of 51 years, the former Kathryn (Kay) MacKay of Cape Elizabeth; two daughters, Mrs. Keith (Bonnie)

Bowden of Melrose, Mass., and Mrs. Lonnie (Lorraine) Zimmerman of Surry, Va.; two sons, William "Bill" Eames of Walnut Springs, Texas, and Samuel Eames of Magna, Utah; two sisters, Mrs. Lila Brown of Gray and Mrs. Mary Lou Berry of Newry; two brothers, Everett Eames of Errol, N.H., and Dana Eames of Wilton; and six grandchildren. Mr. Eames was predeceased by three brothers, Carl, Harold and Robert.

Masonic services were held at the Greenleaf Funeral Home, Bethel, on Friday, May 13, at 2 p.m. Interment was in Riverside Cemetery, Bethel. Friends who wish may make memorial contributions to the charity of their choice.

## CRYSTAL K. PERRY

Crystal K. Perry, 30, died Thursday morning, May 12, 1994, at her home on Route 93, Bridgton.

She was born in Rumford, a daughter of Howard and Grace (Nowlin) Farnum. She attended schools in Milton and Rumford and was a graduate of Lake Region High School in Naples. Mrs. Perry had been employed at Pleasant Mountain Moc Co. of Bridgton for the past 14 years.

Survivors include her mother of North Bridgton; her daughter, Sarah L. Perry of Bridgton; three brothers, Wendell R. Farnum of Rumford, Wayne G. Farnum of Mexico, and Webster A. Farnum of Livermore Falls; six sisters, Betty G. Kinghorn of East Hartford, Conn.; Carol Ann Noyes of West Peru; Gloria L. LaBlond of Dixfield; Glenice J. Farnum of Somerville, Mass., Loretta J. Farnum of San Angelo, Texas, and Gwendolyn B. Farnum of North Conway, N.H.; and a half-brother, Keith B. Bartlett of Bethel.

## The Family of Nelson Douglass

Take this opportunity to thank the Greenleaf Funeral Home, Bartlett Hutchinson, Upton Ladies Aid, and our many friends for their flowers, cards, food and all other expressions of sympathy, during our recent bereavement.

Thank You All

## Card of Thanks

A most grateful thank-you to my friends and family for their phone calls, cards, visits cooking and flowers while I was incapacitated. Everything means so much at a time like that.

Jane Young

## Card of Thanks

A special thanks to John Gunther & Terry Hathaway for their contributions of grain to help feed the deer in the Chase Road Deer yard.

Billy

## Card of Thanks

When I think of people who make me smile, you always come to mind.

## VIRGINIA D. HUTCHINS

Virginia D. Hutchins, 75, died Friday, May 13, 1994, at Montello Manor Nursing Home. She was born in Rumford on July 21, 1918 and was the daughter of Charles and Gladys (Hanley) Dunton. She had resided at Rumford Point and had lived in the area all her life. She graduated from Stephens High School in Rumford, Class of 1936 and had attended Farmington Normal School.

She was married in Rumford on June 17, 1939 to the late Charles P. Hutchins who died in Rumford on April 2, 1990.

Survivors include two brothers, Dr. William H. "Bud" Dunton of Auburn, and Kimball H. Dunton of Oyster Bay, Long Island, N.Y.; one nephew, William C. Dunton of Rumford; and several cousins.

At her request there are no calling hours or funeral services. Arrangements are under the direction of the Meader and Son Funeral Home, 3 Franklin St., Rumford. Interment will be in the Old Rumford Point Cemetery, Rumford Point.

## ARNOLD E. MAYBERRY

Arnold E. Mayberry, 70, died unexpectedly Saturday, May 14, 1994 at the Rumford Community Hospital in Rumford. He had resided in the Andover area since 1976 and formerly lived in Windham.

He was born in Windham on Feb. 20, 1924 and was the son of Leroy and Marion (Shaw) Mayberry. He graduated from Windham High School. During World War II he served in the U.S. Navy.

Mr. Mayberry was a self employed carpenter and general contractor for many years until retirement. He was married in Portland on Feb. 11, 1943 to the former Barbara L. Plummer who survives in Andover. Other survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Joseph (Patricia) Caron of Norfolk, Va.; one son, Everett Mayberry of Andover; one sister, Mrs. Shirley O'Connors of Gorham; five grandchildren and one great-granddaughter.

Private funeral services will be conducted by Pastor Jane Rich at the families convenience. Those who desire, may contribute to the Andover Rescue Unit or to the First Congregational Church, Andover, Me., 04216 in his memory.

## Card of Thanks

I would like to thank everyone for the cards and flowers during my stay in the hospital.

Robert Curtis

## A Very Sincere Thank You from the family of J. Russell Fifield

We wish to express our thanks and gratitude to those who offered support in our recent bereavement. The doctors and nursing staff at CMMC. The many friends and families who sent cards, flowers, food and those who made donations. The directors of Andrews Funeral Home and all who helped us in this time of sorrow.

Mary Ann, Tammy, Beth Todd, Cindy, Mary Ann

When I think of people who make me smile, you always come to mind. Congrats to you M.V. Enjoy your time to shine.

## "Kids for Camp" Bottle Drive

Children will be collecting bottles and cans May 21st to pay their way for a week at Christian Camp.

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